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H PASS: HONORABLE ROBERT F. DRINAN
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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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SUBJ: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE: JOURNALIST
ANDRES FELIX CULTELLI (121/77/10)

REF: STATE 065145

1. DEAR CONGRESSMAN DRINAN:
IN RESPONSE TO YOUR INQUIRY REGARDING ANDRES FELIX
CULTELLI, THE FOREIGN OFFICE WORKING GROUP ON
HUMAN RIGHTS HAS INFORMED US THAT ANDRES FELIX
CULTELLI WAS CHARGED UNDER THE GENERAL ANTI-
SUBVERSIVE LAW 20.840 FOR HIS CONTACTS WITH THE
"PEOPLE'S REVOLUTIONARY ARMY" AND THE MONTONERIOS.
ON NOVEMBER 9, 1976 THE FEDERAL APPEALS COURT
SENTENCED MR. CULTELLI TO 14 YEARS OF PRISON AND
THEN EXPULSION FROM ARGENTINA. THE SENTENCE WAS
APPEALED AND IT WAS REDUCED TO 5 YEARS AND
EXPULSION.
MR. CULTELLI IS NOW BEING HELD AT SIERRA CHICA PRISON.

2. WE ARE PRESENTING A NEW INFORMATION REQUEST
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ON THIS CASE TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE WORKING GROUP ON
HUMAN RIGHTS AND WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED OF ANY
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2. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.
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